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2014 EID'L FITR FESTIVAL

The *Magbassa Kita* Foundation, Inc. (MKFI) announces the conduct of the *2014 Eid'l Fitr Festival* from August 1 to 3, 2014 at the Atrium of the Block, SM North EDSA, Quezon City.

The Festival aims to:

1. promote a better understanding and appreciation among Filipinos of ethnic, racial and religious diversity in the country;
2. showcase the richness of the cultural heritage of Muslims in the Philippines;
3. forge stronger social, economic, and cultural partnership between Muslims and non-Muslims; and
4. create a positive environment of mutual trust and confidence between Muslims and non-Muslims.

It has the following components:

- Country Displays by Islamic embassies in the Philippines which dramatize the cultural link between the Philippines and their countries;
- Institutional Exhibits by local government units (LGUs), government and civil service organization working on peace and development initiatives;
- Photo-Essay Exhibit entitled *How Islam Came to the Philippines*;
- Special Exhibit on Muslim Filipino's culture, traditional arts and crafts at the National Museum of the Philippines;
- Interactive Salam Villages which bring to light traditional Muslim forms of art and tourist spots in the five provinces of Autonomous Region of Muslim Mindanao (ARMM);
- Cultural Presentations that showcase the richness and diversity of the cultural heritage of Filipino Muslims; and
- *Gateway to ARMM* activity that is open especially to students who, upon registration to the Festival, will be given a *Tourist Booklet* with questions on ARMM and its five provinces. The students will have to visit Salam Villages and the ARMM Trade Pavilion to be able to answer the questions and have their booklets stamped. Prizes will be given away to students who can answer all questions correctly.

The secondary students from both public and private schools in Metro Manila are invited to visit.

Participation of both public and private schools shall be subject to the *no-disruption-of-classes policy* as stipulated in DepEd Order No. 9, s. 2005 entitled *Instituting Measures to Increase Engaged Time-on-Task and Ensuring Compliance Therewith*.

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